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## Blackfoot M.D. Annual Meeting No Council Election

VOTE TO SUBSCRIBE FOR THE GLEICHEN CALL FOR EVERY RATEPAYER

### FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

Minutes of the annual meeting of the Blackfoot Municipal District No. 218 held in the Municipal Hall, Gleichen, on Saturday, Dec. 26, 1925, at 1:45 p.m.

About fifty-five ratepayers were present including the following members of the Council: Revere Thurston, Deputy-Revere McBean and Councilors Baumann, Day and Maynard. Revere Thurston occupied the chair.

Proposed programs having been distributed among those present, the chairman asked for the adoption or amending thereof.

Mr. R. Algoed and J. C. Buckley, Jr. That the program as outlined be adopted. —Carried.

The minutes of last annual meeting were then read and adopted on motion of Messrs. R. Algoed and J. C. Buckley, Jr.

The reeve explained that the resolution regarding the payment of a license for the secretary of the Municipal District for securing land applications had been forwarded to the Hall Board and had also been drafted before the annual meeting of 1925 body held in Calgary on March 3, 1925, but had been completely overlooked.

Mr. Revere discussed the resolution around the resolution passed at last annual meeting regarding the Council appointing a road superintendent with power under the Council to bring in a road policy and to see that it was carried out.

The reeve had introduced such a resolution some time after the reorganization of the Council on March 31st, but had received such adverse criticism from a part of the Council that it was withdrawn without being voted on. Another resolution had been drafted along the line suggested by the Council and had been passed on June 9th last. Both resolutions were well as a statement showing that a total of \$65,000 had been expended on our roads since the organization of the Municipality. The reeve then gave a short address explaining:

1. That the Council in 1922 and 1923 had been faced by many difficult situations.

2. That beginning with 1924 he believed there might have been a saving of about four or five thousand dollars if the road work had been done since that time by contract instead of by day labor.

3. That under the road policy as finally adopted by the Council the advice and services of the road commissioner are at the disposal of any council on request.

4. That each councillor has practically complete control over and is responsible for all work done in his division.

The ratepayers present seemed to favor a change in the Council's policy whereby day labor on the roads would be done away with and contract work introduced and requested each member of the Council present to express his opinion thereon.

The reeve, deputy-reve and Councilor Day were in favor of having our roads built and repaired by contract so far as circumstances would permit. Councilors Baumann and Maynard expressed themselves as in favor of any change in our present road policy.

As it was now three o'clock the remaining officer, assistant reeve, during the next hour he was prepared to receive nominations for officers for Division No. 1.

In reply to a question as to why he had not received the full amount of the government road grant, a letter was read from Mr. Graham, resident engineer at Calgary, in which the official stated that the work done on

our market road during 1925 was of such a slip-shod, temporary nature that full fair sort of the specifications would be for the recommendation of the government that it be recommended.

Amount of only \$29,405, which is a payment representing one-half the cost of the materials and labor of building the culverts only. Strong protests were made to Mr. Graham by the reeve and road commissioner and as a result we received the sum of \$753.50 from income account only as the work would not justify any capital expenditure.

Mr. H. Scott and H. Madsen at once moved that in future all road work be done by contract awarded to the lowest tender and subject to the specifications laid down by the Council.

Messrs. J. R. Algoed and A. F. Wilson proposed an amendment that the matter be left in the hands of the Council to have the work done in the future by contract or by day labor, as they saw fit.

The original motion as amended was then put and declared carried. The amendment was carried.

In reply to questions the reeve stated that the Council is not responsible for what may happen as a result of weeds blowing from farm, from the air or from towns of incorporated villages to the surrounding lands.

The road inspector gave a short address which he not only urged the farmers to send to the Provincial and Dominion Governments for literature on weeds but to give consideration to the cleaning of their own acre and among other things stated:

1. That the C.P.R. had given good assistance during the past year in keeping down weeds.

2. That many farmers were under taking to summerfallow more land than they could properly handle.

3. That the Council was not in a position to give any assistance during the past year in keeping down weeds.

4. That notices had been sent by the Department of Agriculture to all towns and incorporated villages advising that provision must be made in their estimates to employ competent men to clean up weed matters with their districts.

The report of the Hall Insurance (Continued on Page 10)

Mr. Nelson arrived back after his trip. Nelson arrived back after spending his vacation at different points in Alberta.

There seems to be some doubt of the seed germination. Some of the wheat threshed after all the rain has tested out 30 per cent germination test. That is not so bad.

SI Sheets and H. Dankworth are having bridge timber for the Blackfoot Municipality. The bridge is to cross the creek between sections 6 and 6-21-22 on the north of Gleichen trail.

John Nordquist was surprised by about 50 friends on Friday night of last week. Darning was carried out till morning to the W. W. Grant old time, made on John's new radio. All appeared to enjoy themselves, and after a nice lunch dined a few of the modern dancin' and then departed to meet again at John's before sundown.

Harold Eller is spending a few days visiting Duchs and other points in that vicinity.

Mr. Millet entertained a number of young people by giving a very nice party at her home on Feb. 19.

The work on the hotel is finished and has recently been furnished with new furniture the very best. One can truthfully say that it is one of the nicest hotels the travelling public will want to visit. It will now shortly, as a fully licensed hotel under the management of Mr. Louden, formerly of Glyde, Alberta.

A number of the townspeople took advantage by getting together and joining a surprise party held at P. H. Brown's. The club and other games were enjoyed by all. Darning was part of the evening's entertainment, music was furnished by David Brown. A very nice supper was served and we really believe the Queen's Hotel enjoyed it as well as many others.

Mr. Louden kindly donated the use of the hotel to the Board of Trade to hold their winter drive last Tuesday. There was a good crowd and every one enjoyed having a good time. Mr. Austin Brown donated the use of his feed barn free of charge to one of our townsfolk. The Board of Trade wish to thank all who helped make this a success and wish to announce that on March 8th they will hold a winter drive and dance in the building adjoining the hotel.

Queenstown is growing remarkably. It has two general stores, two meat markets, two restaurants, two dayaways, one up-to-date garage, one feed store, one pool room and barber shop, one blacksmith shop, one hardware, Crown Lumber Co. and one business building that is not occupied. It has train service twice a week.

There is still a good opening for a number of young ladies who would care to marry since there are a great number of bachelors. The funny part of this town seems to be the mail which only comes twice a week and all the bachelors go to the post office twice a day to see if there is any mail. Let's wonder why?

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The kingdom of Groustark is in ruins. With the completion of camera work on Norma Talmage's new picture, "Groustark," the picture will be shown at the Gleichen Community Hall next Saturday, March 6th.

"Groustark," as presented with Norma Talmage in the starring role of Princess Yvonne, is a modern romance centering in a mythical kingdom to the south of Europe. Eugene O'Brien directed the role of Groustark, young American and entered a vacation period of undetermined length. The picture will be shown in a few weeks on her next picture.

A retired business man says he attributes a great amount of his success in subscribing for his local paper for new arrivals in whatever town he happened to be doing business in. He went the deeper for a year's subscription to the new comer with a letter of welcome and a request that each week they read his old friend, and at once a made another friend and usually a good customer.

## QUEENSTOWN HAPPENINGS

Mr. Dave Brown had a carload of cheese milksheds shipped last week.

Quong Way, formerly of London, opened a restaurant in Mr. A. Lohnd's building recently.

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## LAST WEEK'S BUSINESS AT EDMONTON

By JOHN MACKENZIE  
The debate on the speech from the throne occupied a week longer than had originally anticipated. Blame for this may be equally distributed, though blame for long delay on the part of the House of Commons may be taken by J. D. St. John, member for Beaver River, who took half an hour on Tuesday last, and a half hour on Wednesday to air his grievances.

The debate on the address has afforded several of the Minister an opportunity to outline the program of his departments for the year.

Hon. Alex Ross informed the House that his department intended to carry on road construction more vigorously than ever in 1926. Up till now in 600 miles of main highway had been completed to the specified standard in the Dominion. Government roads and 240 miles had been gravelled.

A highway on Edmonton, Peace River would be constructed this year and it was hoped to complete the highway to Jasper National Park. Twenty-five miles new construction would complete the road to the entrance to Jasper Park.

The improved roads were having a great effect in attracting tourist traffic, over 22,000 tourists having registered at the car rate of Banff National Park last year to Jasper National Park.

The Minister of the Interior, Mr. Ross said that this was not so, and the substantial progress was made so that the province could get the benefit of the Dominion 40 per cent grant within the four-year period.

Finances in Good Shape  
The finances of the rural municipalities, Hon. G. R. Reid, provincial treasurer, informed the House were in a very good shape. During the year only forty had had occasion to borrow money, and at the close of the year only 29 owed the banks anything.

The government intended to bring in their farm loan measure as soon as the Farm Loan Bill was introduced in the Federal House. He believed that loaning of money was the function of the Government of Alberta. He believed that loaning of money was the function of the Government of Alberta. He believed that loaning of money was the function of the Government of Alberta.

25 Miles of Railway to Be Built  
The most important announcement in the address of Hon. V. W. Smith, minister of railways and telegraphs was to the effect that 25 miles of railway would be constructed this year from a point between Bonby and Westlock. Part of the steel for the line is already been purchased.

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yield of 103,000,000, the second largest in the history of the province. The value was \$115,000,000. All field crops totalled in value \$165,000,000, and forage crops \$46,000,000.

Dairying did not make the same progress in its former years, owing somewhat to the high prices of grain, and the dry weather in July affecting pastures. Increases in prices, however, kept the total value of dairy products up to \$23,000,000. Poultry production showed a slight falling off, but the total value of poultry products was \$8,000,000, a good production being \$8,000,000.

The lowly bee was coming into its own, 115,000 lbs. of honey being produced in 1925.

Fodder crops had made remarkable development.

Fifty thousand horses and 200,000 cattle were exported from the province to the world markets in 1925.

Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture had been reduced, but sheep and beef had notwithstanding been increased. The amount expended in 1925 was \$725,479.01, and in 1924 was \$725,479.01.

While only three of the six schools of agriculture were operating, there were training more pupils, namely, 363, the number in 1921-1922 was 363.

Health of the Province  
The department of health is also under Mr. Headley's supervision, and in dealing with it he avowed that such progress had been made in combating infectious disease.

Natural Resources and Redistribution  
The Premier during the week held several meetings, but it is doubtful if there will be any radical changes in the constitution.

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## New Market Opens With Good Crowd of Purchasers

BAD ROADS KEEP PRODUCERS HOME. FIND BIG DEMAND FOR MANY PRODUCTS.

That the ladies of Gleichen want a frightful condition and only a few public market there on, now to no farmers ventured to come in that day. They were out in full force although they were represented from early Saturday morning for the open for as far south as sixteen miles and for in. In fact about a dozen ladies some distance northeast of town, were at the Community Hall before. However, they told out completely in any produce was there for sale, and a very short time and could have sold some of these ladies had not been many times the amount of produce shipments in the morning for a number of years—but the chance of a that there was a good demand for market got them out early. Yes, all things they had not thought of, but they were out in full force with the cash, for. The big demand was for cream, there were many pretty things, poultry, vegetables, etc., and there was some amusing as they waited the ar-no doubt the quantity will be much rival of the farmers and incidentally greater next Saturday and there need dropped into the stores to make their be no question as to the buyers being Saturday purchases. When finally on hand with the cash. The Board of Trade, a producer arrived some found they. The Board of Trade, a producer arrived some found they. The Board of Trade, a producer arrived some found they.

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# RED ROSE TEA

"is good tea"

Red Rose Orange Flavour is extra good. Won't you try it this time?

## Canada's "Inferiority Complex"

A prominent Canadian, addressing a meeting in New York recently, declared the "inferiority complex" of the people of this country. In other words, the national tendency to detract from the progress and achievements of Canada, to belittle its growth, and question its possibilities. You may be sure in Canada we find who constantly compare given set of conditions, or service, in this country with the much more populous and wealthy United States or the older established countries of Europe. It is no doubt well that Canada should set a high standard of comparison for itself, rather than a low one, but it is hardly fair to place in contrast a country of ten million people with one of one hundred and ten million people.

Canadians are declared to be "slow but reliable." We believe that the people of this Dominion have justly established for themselves the reputation of reliability. We may lack the dash, the enthusiasm, the boisterousness of our neighbors to the south, and no doubt it would be to our advantage if some of their enthusiasm and energy were injected into our national make-up. Our southern neighbors would probably be better off with a little less of such national characteristics just as Canadians would be better off with a little more.

The year of 1925 would appear to be an excellent one in which to develop the spirit of national self-reliance in Canada. Following the splendid crop returns of last Fall, the year now opened with expanding bank advances in almost every direction, the making of plans for large and important advancements in practically every branch of industrial and commercial activity during the year ahead, which was being made in better than at any period before the war, unemployment is less, and an optimistic note prevails. This should be the normal state of affairs in this country, and it can be maintained if the people of Canada mutually determine that it shall be maintained.

Canada's crop last year was the second largest in its history and more than 150,000,000 bushels greater than 1924; the oats crop was greater by more than 100,000,000 bushels; barley by 25,000,000 bushels. The exports of wheat and flour were the largest in the history of the Dominion. The export of cattle products in the three prairie provinces, which was valued at \$6,000,000, was more than 100,000 head, or 20,000,000 pounds last year. Porken trade is expanding rapidly, and the favorable balance of exports over imports now reaches to almost \$200,000,000.

In the face of such official figures, why should any Canadian feel called upon to apologize for his country, or to doubt its future? There has been talk of hard times in Canada, and unquestionably some recent years have been trying and difficult, but such conditions have existed in most countries. Not long ago that student of world affairs, Sir Clifford Smith, stated with absolute conviction that man for man no country in the world was better off than Canada, and in no country did there exist better opportunities for the man or woman willing and eager to work.

The year is yet young, but already in different sections of the country contracts for more new building have been let than in usually the case by mid-autumn, and announcement of new and large undertakings is now the order of the day. Only recently one of the big railway groups in England announced the placing of an order in Canada for 20,000,000 feet of British Columbia fir for railway ties, an order which exceeds in quantity the amount of British Columbia's export to the United Kingdom two years ago. The Dominion has declined to use Douglas fir for the decks and outside of future battleships, and the British House of Trade will use the same material for its power boats and lifeboats. Canada's export of timber now runs 18,000,000 feet to 46,000,000 feet in 1925.

These facts are cited, not in a spirit of boastfulness, but as concrete evidence, as a substantial reason, why Canadians should altogether abandon that "inferiority complex" for which they are criticized and which does act to retard the development of the Dominion and to create a lack of confidence, and a self-depreciation, which is inimical to the welfare of Canada. Let 1925 see this weakness in our national make-up buried forever.

### A New Skin Disease

"Match box inflammation" is the name given a newly diagnosed skin disease. Physicians of the University of Berlin state it is caused by the irritating boxes of matches in trouser pockets. Hundreds of cases of what appeared to be warts on the thighs of men led to an investigation. It was found that the phosphorus sand paper on the sides of the match box irritated under heat of the body and penetrated the skin.

### Young Duke Was Homelick

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### Alberta Oil Development

#### Royalty Company Now Producing Five Hundred Barrels Daily

After spending more than four million dollars in exploration work, the Imperial Oil Co., Ltd., has at last obtained a credit oil supply in Canada. It was reported by President C. O. Killam at the recent annual meeting of the company, that the company is now able to produce five hundred barrels daily. The company is now producing five hundred barrels daily and showed no signs of diminishing. The company is now producing five hundred barrels daily and showed no signs of diminishing. The company is now producing five hundred barrels daily and showed no signs of diminishing.

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### HER IMPROVEMENT

#### WAS REMARKABLE

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### Britain's Trade Prestige

#### Empire is Still Formidable River in World Markets

People in this country who are in danger of falling into the habit of regarding Great Britain as a hopeless case in world trade, might probably find it profitable to study a special "British Trade Prestige" number recently issued by the British Empire Marketing Board. The publication is a brilliant of whole, clear-headed opinion. Here and there, it is true, one detects a seemingly supercilious touch of reviviscence, much of it probably misapprehension. The publication is a brilliant of whole, clear-headed opinion. Here and there, it is true, one detects a seemingly supercilious touch of reviviscence, much of it probably misapprehension.

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# World Wide Wheat Pool May Be Established At Next Conference

R. Paul, Minn.—The three-day international wheat pool conference opened in London, Ontario, today with delegates from Canada, Australia and American pools and the appointment of a committee to study the relations established at the first conference and to arrange for another conference at a later date.

It is at this next conference that serious effort is to be made to establish, if not a world pool, at least working arrangements between the pools of some of the more important wheat exporting countries. This could be accomplished at the recent conference because the Australian pools are not yet well enough organized and because there are too many differences of opinion between the eight United States pools represented at the conference.

The committee to make arrangements for the next conference was appointed at the close of the convention and appointed C. H. Burnett, secretary of the Manitoba Wheat Pool, as chairman, and George W. Robertson, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, as secretary, the appointment being accompanied by the statement that the first conference was the outcome of Mr. Robertson's proposal.

## Had No Intention Of Offending Canada

English Magistrate Did Not Regard Dominion As Penal Colony  
Birmingham, Eng.—Magistrate R. S. Short, in an interview with the press, said that he had no intention of offending Canada. He was asked to explain his remarks in a recent case where he had sentenced a Canadian prisoner to a term of imprisonment for a crime committed in Canada. He said that he had no intention of offending Canada, but that he was only doing his duty as a magistrate.

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## No Liquor Buying Committee

Plan of Province Provinces Farming Co-operative Organization Not Feasible  
Victoria—There is no possibility of British Columbia and the other provinces forming a co-operative organization for the purchase of liquor, it was learned today from a statement issued by the provincial government.

It is absolutely impracticable, in view of the utterly different conditions prevailing in the various provinces, said it. "We never seriously considered it," it was mentioned at one time, and certainly there was no possibility of attempting to put it into effect.

## Recruiting in Britain Shows Slight Decrease

Emigration Is Competing Against War Office Recruits  
London.—That emigration is seriously competing with recruiting is emphasized in the annual report of the war office. Recruiting, however, showed a marked improvement last year, London and Northern Ireland maintaining their reputation of providing large contributions to the army. The war office committee reported that a serious matter in Scotland and the eastern counties—the report was, although in effect on recruiting is felt generally throughout the country.

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## Canada's Stand On Peace Pact Important

If Not Bound, Dominion Could Remain Neutral in Event of War  
London.—Commenting on the report which has been officially denied that the Canadian government had decided to introduce a resolution in the House of Commons to declare that Canada, should it be involved in the obligations imposed by the League pact, would remain neutral, the Daily Herald says that Canada, should it be involved in the obligations imposed by the League pact, would remain neutral.

## Alberta Legislature Second Largest Surplus in History of Province Is Shown

Edmonton.—The most important item of the week in the Alberta Legislature was the announcement by the premier, J. E. Brownlie, that for the year 1925 the public revenue of the province shows a balance of revenue over expenditure of \$18,000, the second largest surplus in the history of the province. As in last year's budget a deficit had been estimated, the announcement was received with much satisfaction.

The telephone deficit was only \$4,000, as compared with \$15,000 in 1924, and generally other departments showed very satisfactory conditions. The value of the agricultural products of the province was placed at \$54,000,000, a percentage of coal, oil, and other minerals, was also largely increased in 1925.

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## New British Cruiser Launched

Details of Construction Were Kept Close Secret  
Portsmouth, Eng.—Two unusual incidents occurred here in the launching of the cruiser Suffolk.

Details of the construction of the Suffolk, have been kept a close secret. The ship was launched at Portsmouth, and the launch was a successful one.

## Russian Torturers On Trial

Seventeen Charged With Death of Eleven Prisoners During Famine  
Simferopol, Russia.—Two brothers named Muskatov, and fifteen others, are on trial here for the crime of torturing eleven persons to death and seriously maiming forty-five others during the famine of 1921.

## Pretty Lady At Wheel of Liner

One of the prettiest of the five hundred passengers on board the Canadian Pacific liner Montreal, was left New York for a twenty-day cruise of the West Indies, Mr. Louis Mitchell, of New Bedford, Mass., was named standing near the "wheel" just before the vessel left New York harbor.

Mr. Mitchell was one of the party of forty-one members of the expedition, the Northeastern Bell Telephone Association, who went on the trip to the Land of Perpetual Sunshine.

## FUEL SHORTAGE IN ONTARIO IS AIRED IN HOUSE

Ottawa.—Further inquiries in regard to the action the government proposed to take in order to relieve the fuel shortage in Ontario during the winter season, were made in the House of Commons today.

It is already recognized that each governing party of the empire may make treaties on its own account, but the League pact is not in the same category as those which have been so far separately negotiated, the paper says.

"They are treaties involving the obligation to go to war, and in such circumstances, if Britain is thus bound and Canada not, we are faced by the remarkable possibility that one part of the empire may be at war and the other not—that Canada may be involved in a war while Britain is a belligerent."

Mr. Henry Thornton, minister of the interior, said that the government would be taking by the federal authorities on the request of the fuel controller, any action which might be necessary to relieve the fuel shortage in Ontario.

## Many Killed In Snowslide

Buildings In U.S. Mining District Crushed Under Debris  
Salt Lake City, Utah.—Several buildings, including the Methodist Church, were buried under a snowslide in the U.S. mining district near Brigham, 18 miles south of here, Feb. 17.

Buildings of those engaged in the avalanche of snow, rock and brush that also downed the mountain line were killed or injured. Little hope is held out for their rescue.

Pire burning in the buildings which were crushed under hundreds of tons of debris, imperilled the safety of those who may have camped nearby, death when their homes were crushed.

## Paying War Debt

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## School Trustees' Convention

Large Attendance at Saskatchewan Trustees' Meeting at Regina  
Regina, Saskatchewan.—In its various phases as taught in the schools of the province, was criticized, commended and debated by the delegates attending the annual convention of the Saskatchewan School Trustees' Association.

Strewing the need for an examination of Saskatchewan education in the light of the League pact, was the subject of a resolution passed by the delegates.

The high school conference was held on record as saying that the cost of secondary education should be borne by the people as a whole and that the principle of charging fees in education should be abandoned.

Landowners seemed also given to a resolution urging that all common lands be reserved for the development of the Hudson Bay.

It should be proceeded with immediately, the resolution being adopted by Sir Henry Thornton, the federal minister of railways and right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

## World Marketing Plan

Representatives of Co-operative Wheat Producers of Canada met in Regina, Saskatchewan, today to discuss the world marketing plan of the Canadian Wheat Producers' Association.

St. Paul, Minn.—The plan for the international wheat pool was discussed by the delegates at the conference, and the delegates agreed to proceed with the plan.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEELING THE PULSE OF THE NATION  
JESUS TEACHERS RESPECT FOR LAW  
Golden Text: "Think not that I came to destroy the law or the prophets, but to fulfill them."

Explanations and Comments  
The lesson for this week is from the Gospel of Matthew, chapter 23, verses 1-12. The Pharisees and Sadducees were the two main religious groups in Israel at that time.

By which they could accomplish their purpose. They were hypocrites, and they were the enemies of Jesus. They were the enemies of the law, and they were the enemies of the prophets.

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## Record Cattle Shipment

Cattle and Hogs Leave Winnipeg  
Edmonton.—The record cattle shipment from Western Canada to the United States, was made today, when a special Canadian National train, consisting of 100 cars, left here with 800 head of beef animals and 1,000 hogs destined for the Old Country.

It was the largest shipment of hogs in 20 years, and will be the first shipment of live hogs ever to go through the port of Saint John, N.B. Some of the hogs were bound for the local market, but the bulk of the shipment is for the United States.

Great interest was taken in the shipment by local and distant live stock men, many of whom were present when the train pulled out. It was pointed out to the great interest of the live stock men, that the shipment was the first of its kind in 20 years.

## Customs Probe

Shown That Government Had Endeavored to Prevent Smuggling  
Ottawa.—Efforts of the Commercial Protective Association to secure the payment of duties on goods being smuggled into Canada, were reviewed at a sitting of the customs board today.

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## Says War Is Inevitable

Parole Paper Delivers Inevitable  
Paris.—The war is inevitable, said a speaker at a meeting of the League of Nations today. He said that the war was inevitable, and that it was inevitable.

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## Red Delegates Must Explain Expenditures

Spent Millions of Gold Rubles and Accomplished Little  
London.—The Red delegates at the League of Nations today were asked to explain their expenditures. They were asked to explain their expenditures, and they were asked to explain their expenditures.

## Export of Russian Grain Is Increasing

Expected It Will Reach Pre-War Level in Two Years  
St. Petersburg.—The export of Russian grain is expected to reach its pre-war level in two years, it was learned today from a statement issued by the Russian government.

## Do Not Want Eight-Hour Day

London.—The Civil Servants' Association today declared that it did not want an eight-hour day. It said that it did not want an eight-hour day, and it said that it did not want an eight-hour day.

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first fortnight of each year.

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NOTICE

SALE OF INDIAN LAND

TENDERS will be received at the  
office of the Indian Commissioner at  
Regina, Saskatchewan, for the purchase  
of the following lands in the  
Blackfoot Indian Reserve, up to and  
including Saturday, the twentieth  
day of March, 1926, upon the usual  
terms of March 1926, upon the usual  
terms of one-fourth cash and the balance  
in nine equal, annual, consecutive  
installments with interest on the  
deferred payments at the rate of six  
(6) per centum per annum. All tenders  
must be accompanied by cash for the  
first installment, for an amount equal  
to one tenth of the tendered price.  
NO TENDER NECESSARILY ACCEPTED.Any of the said lands which may  
be under lease at the time of sale  
will be sold subject to the said lease.  
Lessors' interest in which will be  
assigned to the purchaser. Further  
information regarding said lands  
may be obtained on application to the  
Indian Commissioner, Regina, Land  
office hours are marked -

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In Township 20, Range 19, W. 4th

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GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY

Blackfoot M.D. Annual Meeting  
No Council ElectionVOTE TO SUBSCRIBE FOR THE GLEICHEN CALL FOR  
EVERY RATEPAYER

Continued from Page 1

Board was then read. This report  
showed among other things that the  
Board had only paid off all the  
money due the bank but had  
also considerable increase in the re-  
serve fund and was in a sound posi-  
tion financially. It further stated  
that, in order to more successfully  
complete with the line companies and  
spread the risk over a larger terri-  
tory, the directors were applying to  
the Legislature for certain altera-  
tions to the Hall Insurance Act that  
would enable them to divide the pre-  
mium into six distinct areas, with  
rates in proportion to the numbers 6,  
5, 4, 3, 2, and 1. The directors  
expressed confidence that this would re-  
sult in a larger volume of a better  
balanced business being written with  
consequently better service at lower  
rates.David McLean and J. R. Allgood  
were the report received and filed.  
S.W. 20, 100It was now 4 o'clock and the re-  
turning officer declared nominations  
closed but asked for a few minutes  
in which to determine whether the  
nominations party of Mr. J. R. Allgood  
for Division 4 was properly  
signed. After a short deliberation  
he found that this nomination party  
was not in order and consequently  
declared the following duly elected by  
acclamation, viz:

For Division 1 - J. R. Allgood.

For Division 2 - J. R. Allgood.

For Division 3 - J. R. Allgood.

For Division 4 - J. R. Allgood.

The financial statement was then  
referred to and an opportunity given  
for anyone to ask questions. The  
Rover replied to those questions as  
follows:1. The \$5424.93 shown on the state-  
ment under assets is the balance of  
the hall insurance money accumulated  
at the end of 1925 and belongs to the  
Municipality as the Hall Board has  
been paid in full.2. That the assessment of all rural  
schools is made by the Municipal as-  
sessor and is the same as is used for  
all other taxing purposes within the  
Municipality.3. That town and village schools  
have an independent assessment in  
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ACT OF ALBERTAAPPLICATION FOR BEER  
LICENSEPublic notice is hereby given that  
the undersigned intends applying to  
the Alberta Liquor Control Board for  
a license to sell beer by the glass or  
open bottle for consumption on the  
following premises:The south east corner room on the  
ground floor of a building to be  
erected on Lot one, Block four, of  
Railway Ave. and First Street East,  
according to a plan of Arrowood re-  
corded in Land Title Office for south  
Alberta, Land Registration District  
as 2788 D.M., and to be known as the  
Arrowood Hotel.Dated at Arrowood, January 4th,  
1926.C. BURTON MUNRO,  
Applicant.Public notice is hereby given that  
the undersigned intends applying to  
the Alberta Liquor Control Board for  
a license to sell beer by the glass or  
open bottle for consumption in con-  
juncture with the provisions of the  
Government Liquor Control Act of  
Alberta and the regulations made  
thereunder with respect to the fol-  
lowing premises:Building to be known as the Aldon  
Hotel, situated on Lots 1 and 2, Block  
Four, Plan 1738 D.M., Arrowood, Al-  
berta, according to a plan of Arrowood  
recorded in the Land Title Office of  
Saskatchewan, Alberta.Dated at Drumheller, Alberta, this  
15th day of February, 1926.PEARL H. BAYLER,  
Applicant.

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### The Farmer's Wife Should Have a Bank Account

ON most farms the hens and other poultry are the special care of the farmer's wife, and the money that comes from this source is regarded as her own.

This money, if deposited regularly in a Savings Account, will soon grow to a considerable sum. Several hundred dollars in the Bank will give a wonderful feeling of security.

## The Royal Bank of Canada

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There will be a carload on track this week at

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A well prepared and favorably known Coal, and very economical for Spring and Summer use.

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Glorious modern romance of a princess' love for an American set in majestic grandeur and packed with the kind of thrill and love scenes that only Norma can give.

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## Chris. Bartsch's Auction

Mr. Chris Bartsch is selling his entire stock of horses and farm machinery at HIS BARN IN THE TOWN OF GLEICHEN ON SATURDAY, MARCH 20

50 HEAD OF HORSES  
Gentle broke, green broke and halter broke. 4 to 10 years old, ranging in weight from 1300 to 1700 pounds.

### MACHINERY

Drills, Binders, Wagons, Plows, Packers, Harrows, 25 Sets of Harness, All Farm Tools and Usual Extras Household Furniture and Cooking Utensils.

SALE STARTS AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP  
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### COMING EVENTS

Adm. under Coming Events 25c per copy. See under otherwise advertised in The Gleichen Call.

March 6—Tip Top Tailor with samples at W. E. Brown's.

March 6—Grouse pictures at Gleichen Com. Hall.

March 6—Queenstown Board of Trade visit drive and dance.

March 9—W. H. Hoerle's auction sale at Milo, by T. H. Beach.

March 10—Gleichen Branch of Legion of British Empire to be former in Gleichen.

March 12—Auction sale of horses at Chazy.

March 20—Chris Bartsch auction sale by T. H. Beach, in Gleichen.

### FARM SALE

HORSES, CATTLE, HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS  
TUES., MARCH 9th

4 MILES EAST OF MILO  
S. 23-19-21-W.4th

Hay team, 8 and 10 years.  
Grey team, 8 and 9 years.  
Hay team 7 and 12 years.  
Grey team, 7 and 8 years.  
Live and Bay team, 5 and 6 years.  
Grey team, 5 and 7 years.  
Roan mare, 8 years.  
Grey team, 4 and 5 years.  
Grey Team, 5 and 8 years.  
Six 4 and 5 years old.  
The average weight of the above horses is about 1400 pounds.

3 cows milking.  
3 cows with calves at foot.  
Two 2-year-old steers.  
Four yearlings.

John Deere binder; McCormick binder; Lever harrow; Diamond harrow; Garden cultivator; Ducktooth cultivator; Land packer, 3 Van Hunt; 3-bottom disc plow; 2 disc; John Deere plow; 6 bottom disc; 6-bottom engine plow; 6 Adams wagons; 8 sets harness; 2 feed grinders; Blacksmith outfit.

Lounge Range Cream Separator and numerous other things.

SALE SHARP 12 NOON  
TERMS CASH. LUNCH at 11

W. H. HOERLE, Owner  
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TIP TOP TAILORS  
GLEICHEN, ALTA.

Save money on your new suit and buy a Tip Top tailored-to-measure guaranteed suit. You will save at least \$10.00 to \$15.00. Critically compare values and be convinced.

I have arranged to have Mr. Wm. D. Lowden, representative of Tip Top Tailors, at my store on SATURDAY, MARCH 6.

He will have with him the newest models, suit ends and a complete range of samples, all of which are all wool and ninety per cent of them imported from Great Britain. Every known cloth and color is here for your consideration. You may select at random and be assured of incomparable value at the one reasonable price of \$27.00 and express charges. Come in, let us show you these unusual values.

W. K. BROWN  
GLEICHEN, ALBERTA.

## Auction Sale of Horses

IN CLUNY AT ROBERTS' BARN ON  
FRIDAY, MARCH 12

I will sell at public auction two carloads of Work Horses all sound and young.

TERMS CASH

F. W. COURTNEY

CLUNY, ALBERTA

### TOWN AND DISTRICT

March sure came in like a lamb.

The women's parlance opens at Ramsay's on March 8.

The golf Club dance which was to take place on March 17th has been cancelled.

The 22nd Battery hockey team had their pictures taken at the rink on Sunday by Geo. Hunsicker.

A Lenten tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Lewis next Friday, Feb. 26th, at 3 o'clock. There will be a guessing contest. Everybody is welcome. Silver collection.

Marlin Motors carry a full line of Ford parts and are prepared to give the best of service. Marlin Motors, Ford Sales and Service.

The dance put on by the Calgary Teetotalers, an eight piece orchestra, was not so very well attended for several reasons. This is the largest dance orchestra that ever visited Gleichen and their music was superb and those who did not attend the dance missed a rare treat. They were rather disappointed with the small crowd but will come again in the near future.

Owing to the mild weather last week which played havoc with the ice at the rink the hockey game between the 22nd Battery boys and the Calgary Canadians had to be cancelled. This was a keen disappointment to everybody. There was no doubt but that the largest crowd that ever saw a hockey game in Gleichen would have been on hand. At this writing it now looks as if the hockey season was finished.

### IN THE LAND OF TARSAKIDS AND HUSIES

The recent visit of Dr. Wilson to the United Church was so successful that another special Sunday evening has been arranged for Sunday March 7th. This time the special preacher and lecturer will be Dr. Sherer of Calgary. Dr. Sherer has retired from active ministry having passed the age limit. He was formerly—Home Mission Sup. for South of Alberta.

Last spring the Doctor volunteered to supply a mission field and was appointed to Fort McMurray where he labored until bad weather in the autumn. The fact that Fort McMurray is in the Far North, and beyond the steel adds the element of adventure to the enterprise.

Dr. Sherer's visit to Gleichen is an effort to help the local congregation and to give an idea of life in the north. Under the title "In The Land of Tarsakids and Husies," the Doctor will lecture on Monday evening. The lecture will be illustrated by fifty lantern slides which will depict generally not only the activities of the church beyond the steel but conditions under which life is lived there.

The public are cordially invited to both the Sunday evening service and to the lecture on Monday evening.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of John Prosser who entered into rest February 25th, 1925.

The silent strings of memory are sad-ly touched today. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

### ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH SERVICES

Incumbent, Rev. Neville Blunt. Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Sunday School 2:30 p.m. Evening Prayer 7:30 p.m.

# The Baking Contest

Entries are piling in for our Robin Hood Flour Baking Contest. Judging takes place MARCH 9th.

1st PRIZE BREAD ..... \$7.50 Cash  
1st PRIZE BISCUIT ..... \$2.50 Cash  
2nd PRIZE BREAD, 100 lbs. Robin Hood Flour

Judged by Expert from Mills.

### MILLINERY DEMONSTRATION

BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF ONE OF CALGARY'S EXCLUSIVE MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENTS TAKES PLACE IN OUR STORE ON MARCH 8TH AND 9TH. A Wonderful Showing of Spring Hats

MARCH 8 and 9—A Demonstration of the famous Premium Vacuum Cleaner by a Factory Representative.

These events will keep customers interested and our store will be Gleichen's centre, an usual.

### NEW SPRING FOOTWEAR

Direct Factory Purchase and more than usual attractive values. Ladies Strap Slippers in Latest Spring Styles Per pair ..... \$3.75 to \$5.50

Children's shoes in the new Footform lasts. In straps and Oxfords.

A complete rubber stock for the March Slush.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR SHOWING OF THE NEW DRESSES FOR SPRING?

INTERESTING ANNOUNCEMENTS RE NEW SPRING DRY GOODS NEXT WEEK

Groceries are moving out with more gimp these days. Spring Grocery Demands will find us all ready.

KEEP TRACK OF OUR INTERESTING DATES AND BE HERE WITH THE REST OF THE PEOPLE

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Are You Getting Your Share of the BARGAINS at

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Each day sees some line of my stock depleted.

Everything Must Go This Month

Compare These Prices:

1-in. Lines \$4.00; Sweat Pads 60c;

Collars \$3.25; Langford Collars \$2.00

Shoes are just as cheap, but you must see the them to appreciate their value

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